

# Rhode Island Kids Count 2017 Factbook

## Indicators of Child Well-Being

### Snapshot of West Warwick, Rhode Island



Census-Based Indicators		1990	2000	2010		
Child population	West Warwick	6,560	6,632	5,746		
	Rhode Island	225,690	247,822	223,956		
Children in single-parent families	West Warwick	NA	NA	35%		
	Rhode Island	NA	28%	31%		
				<b>2011-2015</b>		
Median family income	West Warwick	\$54,736	\$50,690			
	Rhode Island	\$66,156	\$67,606			
Children living in families below the federal poverty threshold	West Warwick	18.1%	22.5%**			
	Rhode Island	16.9%	20.4%			
Economic Well-Being		2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Cost of rent	West Warwick	\$1,096	\$1,080	\$1,075	\$1,151	\$1,289
	Rhode Island	\$1,176	\$1,154	\$1,172	\$1,238	\$1,288
Paid Family Leave (total approved TCI claims)	West Warwick	NA	NA	136	181	222
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	3,870	4,941	5,882
Children in families receiving cash assistance	West Warwick	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%*
	Rhode Island	5%	4%	4%	3%	4%*
Children receiving SNAP benefits	West Warwick	1,780	1,771	1,787	1,699	1,823*
	Rhode Island	64,866	63,971	60,982	59,325	61,103*
WIC participation (% income-eligible children participating)	West Warwick	64%	55%	57%	49%	43%
	Rhode Island	69%	66%	65%	59%	54%
School Breakfast Program participation (% income-eligible children participating)	West Warwick	23%	26%	27%	28%	28%
	Rhode Island	35%	39%	39%	40%	40%
Health		2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Children under age 19 receiving Medical Assistance	West Warwick	2,588	2,598	2,946	3,188	3,299*
	Rhode Island	95,248	96,215	104,532	110,544	115,899*
Evidence-Based Family Home Visiting (# of families enrolled)	West Warwick	NA	1	5	19	19
	Rhode Island	NA	288	500	823	1,043
		<b>2007-2011</b>	<b>2008-2012</b>	<b>2009-2013</b>	<b>2010-2014</b>	<b>2011-2015</b>
Births to mothers with less than a high school diploma	West Warwick	14%	14%	13%	13%	12%*
	Rhode Island	16%	15%	14%	13%	12%*
Infants born with low birthweight	West Warwick	8.1%	7.8%	8.2%	7.9%	7.6%
	Rhode Island	7.9%	7.8%	7.6%	7.5%	7.4%
Newborn infants exclusively breastfed	West Warwick	58%	59%	61%	63%	64%
	Rhode Island	61%	62%	64%	66%	69%
Teen birth rate (per 1,000 girls ages 15 to 19)	West Warwick	41.7	41.7	40.9	38.8	36.5
	Rhode Island	25.5	23.3	21.0	18.6	16.8
Safety - Child Welfare		2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Child abuse and neglect indicated victims rate (per 1,000 children)	West Warwick	22.6	21.6	20.5	25.9	19.1
	Rhode Island	13.9	14.0	14.5	13.8	12.3
Children with incarcerated parents rate (per 1,000 children)	West Warwick	17.9	17.6	14.6	20.4	20.4
	Rhode Island	11.0	11.2	11.8	12.8	12.7
Domestic violence incidents with children present	West Warwick	25%	38%	28%	NA	NA
	Rhode Island	31%	40%	35%	NA	NA

\*Data for this time period has comparison limitations that are described in the full indicator; please consult the 2017 Rhode Island Kids Count Factbook.

\*\*Estimate has a high margin of error due to small sample size.

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<b>Safety - Juvenile Justice</b>		<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Youth Violence (# of juvenile arrests for assault and weapons offenses)	West Warwick	53	20	5	9	NA
	Rhode Island	739	660	586	548	NA
Youth at the Training School	West Warwick	22	15	18	22	17
	Rhode Island	578	482	482	450	408
<b>Education</b>		<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Children enrolled in Early Intervention (% enrolled)	West Warwick	NA	NA	7%	4%	6%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	6%	6%	6%
Children enrolled in Early Head Start	West Warwick	55	31	52	43	43
	Rhode Island	522	503	527	582	606
Children enrolled in Head Start	West Warwick	117	123	110	108	98
	Rhode Island	2,432	2,040	2,295	2,233	2,063
Licensed early learning centers	West Warwick	5	5	5	5	5
	Rhode Island	314	309	311	317	321
Licensed family child care homes	West Warwick	4	3	4	2	2
	Rhode Island	585	581	552	497	488
Licensed early learning centers participating in BrightStars	West Warwick	20%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	Rhode Island	15%	78%	78%	82%	80%
Licensed family child care homes participating in BrightStars	West Warwick	0%	33%	50%	50%	50%
	Rhode Island	21%	82%	77%	87%	84%
Children receiving child care subsidies (subsidy use by child residence)	West Warwick	174	157	238	294	301*
	Rhode Island	7,868	7,696	9,060	9,831	8,445*
Children enrolled in State Pre-K	West Warwick	0	36	36	54	72
	Rhode Island	144	234	306	594	995
Children receiving preschool special education services	West Warwick	0	9%	9%	10%	13%
	Rhode Island	0	7%	8%	7%	8%
K-12 students receiving special education services (% enrolled)	West Warwick	NA	NA	17%	16%	16%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	15%	15%	14%
Public school enrollment (total enrollment)	West Warwick	3,421	3,421	3,417	3,485	3,474
	Rhode Island	142,481	142,008	141,959	142,014	142,142
Public school enrollment (% low-income)	West Warwick	50%	52%	49%	49%	49%
	Rhode Island	46%	47%	47%	47%	48%
Children enrolled in full-day kindergarten	West Warwick	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	Rhode Island	68%	70%	81%	88%	100%
Students who are English Language Learners	West Warwick	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Rhode Island	6%	7%	7%	7%	7%
Student mobility rate	West Warwick	20%	16%	17%	17%	16%
	Rhode Island	14%	13%	13%	14%	14%
3 <sup>rd</sup> graders meeting expectations in reading (PARCC)	West Warwick	NA	NA	NA	23%	31%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	37%	40%
3 <sup>rd</sup> graders meeting expectations in math (PARCC)	West Warwick	NA	NA	NA	23%	28%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	36%	44%
7 <sup>th</sup> graders meeting expectations in reading (PARCC)	West Warwick	NA	NA	NA	36%	47%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	38%	38%
7 <sup>th</sup> graders meeting expectations in math(PARCC)	West Warwick	NA	NA	NA	25%	23%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	25%	28%
Schools identified for intervention	West Warwick	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Rhode Island	10%	10%	12%	12%	10%
Chronic early absence in grades K-3	West Warwick	9%	11%	10%	11%	12%
	Rhode Island	11%	12%	12%	14%	11%
Chronic absence in high school	West Warwick	25%	24%	22%	22%	21%
	Rhode Island	25%	24%	24%	26%	26%
Suspension rate (per 100 students)	West Warwick	40	21	12	13	21
	Rhode Island	30	23	22	19	17
High school graduation rate	West Warwick	70%	74%	81%	85%	87%
	Rhode Island	77%	80%	81%	83%	85%